



Disability Support Services

Disability Support Services (DSS)



DSS is a resource for students with disabilities. The primary role of DSS is to ensure students with disabilities have equitable access to all ECU programs, services, facilities, and activities of the university. DSS works with ECU students, faculty, and staff to coordinate a range of services and accommodations on an individualized basis.

DSS Faculty Tips

1. Use the following accessibility statement in your syllabi.
 - East Carolina University seeks to comply fully with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Students requesting accommodations based on a disability must be registered with the Department for Disability Support Services (DSS) located in Mendenhall 109 (252-737-1016).
 - Note: We recommend taking some time to review this statement with the class. This may help students feel more comfortable approaching you with proactive requests.
2. Promptly respond to accommodation requests.
3. Respect the student's right to confidentiality.
4. Consult with DSS when you have questions/concerns about a request.
5. Provide accessible course materials to students with sensory disabilities.

<https://accessibility.ecu.edu/faculty-staff/resources/>

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